

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Newsletter – 3.18.21

Happy Thursday 8th Grade Families,

Today's **CP Awareness Month**, greens for jeans was a success! Students brought in money to wear green with jeans in support of Cerebral Palsy Awareness Month. St. James students raised over **750\$ dollars** to donate to the Fire Foundation which helps provide funding for those seeking an inclusive Catholic education.

With this short week we only have a few reminders before Spring Break starts.

First, A reminder that we are converting **tomorrow, 3/19, into an asynchronous e-learning day**. Students will be assigned work and can tune into pre-recorded lessons starting tomorrow. Since many families will be traveling, students will have until Monday 3/29 to complete all assignments for the school day.

Along with that, In preparation for spring break tomorrow, and for traveling families who may need to quarantine, all students with travel plans will be bringing their school iPads home today in their backpacks before being dismissed. School devices should be kept at home in a safe place until we resume school on the 29th of March. It is not advised to travel with the SJS iPad. Families assume financial responsibility for lost or damaged devices.

\* A reminder for all students remote learning after break, they will be able to access their remote learning schedule on the [Remote Learning Page](#) and will be following the BILSKI COHORT SCHEDULE.

We thank everyone who continually gives their time for lunch supervision. It is greatly appreciated. Please sign up using the links below if you are able to help out when we return from Spring Break or throughout April.

### **APRIL**

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1pjVoO8PECrLgQvXHfZL3VFeQunVvMr6TY\\_qVv2agIC4/edit](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1pjVoO8PECrLgQvXHfZL3VFeQunVvMr6TY_qVv2agIC4/edit)

Lastly, something to look forward to the week we return after Spring Break is an all school spirit week! Student Leadership students worked together to come up with fun themes for each day of the week when we return.

Monday 3/29= PJ Day

Tuesday 3/30= Tie Dye Day

Wednesday 3/31= Grade Color Day (with uniform bottoms)

\*\*8<sup>th</sup> Grade wears RED\*\*

Thursday 4/1 = High School/College Shirt Day

Have a fun and safe Spring Break,

-Mr. Bilski, Mrs. Esquivel, and Srta. Tomko